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Report of

FRANK A. NANCE, *Coroner*

County of Los Angeles

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Gentlemen:-

I have the honor to present herewith a statistical and financial report of the Coroner's Department for the fiscal year 1931 - 1932.

The accompanying schedules follow the same analytical form as previous annual reports of this department and, therefore, afford an accurate basis for comparing our operating experience for this fiscal period with that of preceding periods.

Respectfully submitted,

Frank A. Dance
Coroner, Los Angeles County.

September 15, 1932.

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REPORT OF FRANK A. NANCE

LOS ANGELES COUNTY CORONER

FOR FISCAL YEAR 1931 - 32.

JULY	1931	342	
AUGUST	1931	367	
SEPTEMBER	1931	310	
OCTOBER	1931	367	
NOVEMBER	1931	409	
DECEMBER	1931	479	
JANUARY	1932	486	
FEBRUARY	1932	401	
MARCH	1932	374	
APRIL	1932	356	
MAY	1932	384	
JUNE	1932	329	
	TOTAL		4604

MALE	3175	
FEMALE	1429	
TOTAL		4604

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	3022	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	1580	
IN ARIZONA BODIES SHIPPED TO LOS ANGELES	2	
TOTAL		4604

CLASSIFICATION OF DEATHS HANDLED BY CORONER

ABORTIONS	28	
AEROPLANE	18	
ALCOHOLISM	55	
ANIMAL INJURIES	1	
ASPHYXIATIONS	38	
BURNS	81	
CRUSHING	12	
DROWNING	47	
ELECTROCUTIONS	3	
ELECTRIC RAILWAY	34	
FALLS	92	
FIREARMS	20	
HEAD INJURIES	10	
HOMICIDES	145	
INDUSTRIAL FATALITIES	89	
INFECTIONS	17	
MISCELLANEOUS	20	
MOTOR VEHICLE	827	
NATURAL CAUSES	2388	
POISONING	27	
PREMATURE BIRTHS	18	
STEAM RAILWAY	10	
STILLBORN	37	
STRANGULATION	10	
SUFFOCATION	13	
SUICIDES	529	
UNKNOWN CAUSES	35	
TOTAL		4604

NUMBER OF MICROSCOPIC EXAMINATIONS	325
NUMBER OF BACTERIOLOGICAL EXAMINATIONS	48
NUMBER OF BLOOD TESTS FOR CARBON MONOXIDE	34
NUMBER OF GROSS SPECIMENS PREPARED FOR EVIDENCE	56
NUMBER OF CASES HANDLED IN PATHOLOGICAL LABORATORY	245
NUMBER OF SAMPLES SUBMITTED TO CHEMICAL LABORATORY	334
NUMBER OF CHEMICAL TESTS NECESSARY FOR ABOVE CASES	4551
NUMBER OF BODIES EMBALMED AT CORONER'S MORTUARY (FEES)	1815
NUMBER OF BODIES OF INDIGENT PERSONS EMBALMED (NO FEES)	510
NUMBER OF BODIES OF CHILDREN EMBALMED, UNDER 14 YRS(NO FEES)	169
NUMBER OF BODIES BROUGHT TO CORONER'S MORTUARY, WHICH WERE NOT CORONER'S CASES	8
TOTAL NUMBER OF BODIES EMBALMED AT CORONER'S MORTUARY	2502
TOTAL NUMBER OF BODIES HANDLED AT CORONER'S MORTUARY	2700
NUMBER OF BODIES OF INDIGENT PERSONS BURIED OR CREMATED BY CORONER	263
NUMBER OF BODIES OF INDIGENT PERSONS BURIED BY CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS	37

MILES TRAVELED TO CONDUCT INQUESTS AND INVESTIGATIONS	12,643
MILES TRAVELED BY SURGEONS TO PERFORM AUTOPSIES AND TO APPEAR AS WITNESSES	29,806
MILES TRAVELED BY AMBULANCES TRANSPORTING BODIES	13,383

NUMBER OF TRANSCRIPTS PREPARED (JURY CASES)	1,024
NUMBER OF 'VERDICT OF CORONER' AND AUTOPSY FINDINGS PREPARED (NO JURY CASES)	3,367
NUMBER OF TRANSCRIPTS FILED WITH COUNTY CLERK	1,024
NUMBER OF 'NO JURY' CASES FILED WITH COUNTY CLERK	3,367
NUMBER OF TRANSCRIPTS PREPARED AND SOLD	411
NUMBER OF TRANSCRIPTS DELIVERED TO DISTRICT ATTORNEY	273
NUMBER OF PAGES OF TESTIMONY TYPEWRITTEN	18,498

NUMBER OF JURORS SUMMONED	~~2,790~~ 9216
NUMBER OF WITNESSES SUBPOENED TO TESTIFY AT INQUESTS	6,502

NUMBER OF ESTATES DELIVERED TO PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR	102
NUMBER OF ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS ADMINISTERED BY CORONER, UNDER SECTION 4144, POLITICAL CODE.	
ESTATES AMOUNTING TO LESS THAN $ 75.00	3

AUTOPSIES

		CITY	COUNTY	TOTAL
JULY	1931	206	95	301
AUGUST	1931	179	137	316
SEPTEMBER	1931	198	102	300
OCTOBER	1931	235	125	360
NOVEMBER	1931	251	144	395
DECEMBER	1931	275	181	456
JANUARY	1932	305	168	473
FEBRUARY	1932	234	158	392
MARCH	1932	214	152	366
APRIL	1932	202	138	340
MAY	1932	214	158	372
JUNE	1932	187	133	320
TOTAL		2700	1691	4391

AUTOPSIES PERFORMED BY	CITY	COUNTY	TOTAL
DR. A.F. WAGNER	1058	1	1059
DR. FRANK R. WEBB	15	1602	1617
DR. JOHN R. SCHAEFER	1611	88	1699
DR. LAWRENCE PARSONS	16	00	16
TOTAL	2700	1691	4391

TOTAL AUTOPSIES AT CORONER'S MORTUARY	2700
IN L.A. COUNTY OUTSIDE OF CORONER'S MORTUARY	1691
TOTAL AUTOPSIES PERFORMED	4391

INQUESTS

		CITY	COUNTY	TOTAL
JULY	1931	46	35	81
AUGUST	1931	34	35	69
SEPTEMBER	1931	40	34	74
OCTOBER	1931	56	38	94
NOVEMBER	1931	77	40	117
DECEMBER	1931	62	43	105
JANUARY	1932	58	43	101
FEBRUARY	1932	60	35	95
MARCH	1932	40	32	72
APRIL	1932	46	27	73
MAY	1932	53	27	80
JUNE	1932	37	26	63
TOTAL		609	415	1024

NUMBER OF INQUESTS CONDUCTED IN CORONER'S INQUEST ROOM	609
IN COUNTY OUTSIDE OF CORONER'S INQUEST ROOM	415
TOTAL	1024

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

		MOTOR VEHICLE	ELECTRIC RY	STEAM RY	TOTAL
JULY	1931	59	6	0	65
AUGUST	1931	68	1	1	70
SEPTEMBER	1931	62	2	0	64
OCTOBER	1931	73	3	1	77
NOVEMBER	1931	81	2	3	86
DECEMBER	1931	96	4	1	101
JANUARY	1932	89	3	0	92
FEBRUARY	1932	74	2	1	77
MARCH	1932	52	4	1	57
APRIL	1932	58	0	1	59
MAY	1932	64	3	1	68
JUNE	1932	51	4	0	55
TOTAL		827	34	10	871

TOTAL MOTOR VEHICLE	827	
TOTAL ELECTRIC RY	34	
TOTAL STEAM RY	10	
TOTAL TRAFFIC FATALITIES		871

NOTE;

IN ABOVE CLASSIFICATION 'MOTOR VEHICLE' INCLUDES ALL FATALITIES IN WHICH A MOTOR VEHICLE IS INVOLVED.

'ELECTRIC AND STEAM RY' INCLUDES ONLY CASES IN WHICH A PEDESTRIAN OR PASSENGER IS KILLED.

MOTOR VEHICLE

AND PEDESTRIAN

JULY	1931	23	
AUGUST	1931	18	
SEPTEMBER	1931	21	
OCTOBER	1931	29	
NOVEMBER	1931	41	
DECEMBER	1931	45	
JANUARY	1932	28	
FEBRUARY	1932	47	
MARCH	1932	26	
APRIL	1932	33	
MAY	1932	27	
JUNE	1932	18	
	TOTAL		356

MALE	270	
FEMALE	86	
TOTAL		356

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	234	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	120	
IN ORANGE CO DEATH OCCURRING IN LOS ANGELES CO	2	
TOTAL		356

AGES

Less than 1 year	2	
1 to 2 years	2	
2 to 5 years	17	
5 to 10 years	20	
10 to 20 years	12	
20 to 45 years	69	
45 to 65 years	104	
65 and over	130	
TOTAL		356

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

PEDESTRIAN-NATURE

AUTO AND PEDESTRIAN	319	
TRUCK AND PEDESTRIAN	31	
MOTOR CYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN	3	
BUS AND PEDESTRIAN	1	
BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN	1	
TRUCK TRAILER AND PEDESTRIAN	1	
TOTAL		356

AT INTERSECTIONS	170	
OTHER THAN INTERSECTIONS	186	
TOTAL		356

A.M. (MIDNIGHT TO NOON)	53	
P.M. (NOON TO MIDNIGHT)	303	
TOTAL		356

CAUSES

CROSSING STREET NOT AT INTERSECTIONS	94	
CROSSING STREET CARELESSLY	86	
PLAYING IN STREET	5	
RUNNING IN STREET	16	
WALKING IN STREET	8	
PEDESTRIAN CONFUSED BY TRAFFIC	8	
FELL IN FRONT OF AUTO	1	
BACKING	7	
DROVE THROUGH SAFETY ZONE	1	
INCOMPETENT HANDLING	16	
RECKLESS DRIVING	87	
INTOXICATION	4	
DEFECTIVE EQUIPMENT (BRAKES)	2	
AT WORK ON ROADWAY (REPAIRING TIRE)	1	
STEPPED INTO PATH OF AUTO	8	
CRANKED CAR WHILE IN GEAR	2	
STRUCK BY DRIVERLESS CAR	3	
DEAD MAN AT WHEEL: STRUCK PEDESTRIAN	1	
ATTEMPTING TO BOARD MOVING VEHICLE	3	
UNKNOWN CAUSE: FOUND LYING IN STREET	3	
TOTAL		356

MOTOR VEHICLE

COLLISION AND NON-COLLISION

JULY	1931	36	
AUGUST	1931	50	
SEPTEMBER	1931	41	
OCTOBER	1931	44	
NOVEMBER	1931	40	
DECEMBER	1931	51	
JANUARY	1932	61	
FEBRUARY	1932	27	
MARCH	1932	26	
APRIL	1932	25	
MAY	1932	37	
JUNE	1932	33	
	TOTAL		471

MALE	350	
FEMALE	121	
TOTAL		471

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	217	
IN L.A. COUNTY OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	240	
OUTSIDE OF L.A. CO DEATH OCCURRING IN L.A. CO	14	
TOTAL		471

AGES

Less than 1 year	3	
2 to 5 years	3	
5 to 10 years	2	
10 to 20 years	71	
20 to 45 years	240	
45 to 65 years	110	
65 and over	42	
TOTAL		471

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

COLLISION

AUTO AND AUTO	158
AUTO AND TRUCK	66
AUTO AND FIRE TRUCK	1
AUTO AND MOTORCYCLE	19
AUTO AND BICYCLE	11
AUTO AND TRUCK TRAILER	4
AUTO AND AMBULANCE	1
AUTO AND TRICYCLE	2
AUTO AND WHEEL CHAIR	1
TRUCK AND TRUCK	5
TRUCK AND MOTORCYCLE	3
TRUCK TRAILER AND MOTORCYCLE	1
TRUCK AND BICYCLE	1
TRUCK AND WHEEL CHAIR	1
AUTO AND POLE	23
AUTO AND TREE	8
AUTO AND POST	5
AUTO AND ROCK	1
AUTO AND BRIDGE SUPPORT	1
AUTO AND EMBANKMENT	2
AUTO AND CURB	1
AUTO AND BRIDGE	1
AUTO AND HOUSE	1
AUTO AND FENCE	1
BUS AND HOUSE (KILLED OCCUPANT)	1
MOTORCYCLE AND CURB	2
TRUCK AND POST (KILLED WORKMAN)	1
AUTO STRUCK DEPRESSION: KILLED PASSENGER	1
AUTO AND ELECTRIC RAILWAY	43
AUTO AND STEAM RAILWAY	13
MOTORCYCLE AND ELECTRIC RAILWAY	6
TRACTOR AND STEAM RAILWAY	1
TOTAL COLLISION	386

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

NON-COLLISION

Carried Over	386	
AUTO OVERTURNED	67	
TRUCK OVERTURNED	7	
MOTORCYCLE OVERTURNED	2	
FALLS FROM VEHICLE	9	
TOTAL COLLISION AND NON-COLLISION		471

AT INTERSECTION	289	
OTHER THAN INTERSECTION	182	
TOTAL		471

A. M. (MIDNIGHT TO NOON)	153	
P. M. (NOON TO MIDNIGHT)	318	
TOTAL		471

CAUSES: COLLISION

INCOMPETENT HANDLING	87	
INTOXICATION	1	
RECKLESS DRIVING	96	
DRIVING ON WRONG SIDE OF ROAD	4	
GLARING HEAD LIGHTS	1	
PASSING ON WRONG SIDE	1	
RIGHT OF WAY VIOLATED	104	
WHEEL CAUGHT IN CAR TRACK	1	
DEFECTIVE EQUIPMENT	6	
BACKING	1	
AFTER COLLISION WITH DOG	1	
SKIDDING	8	
LOST CONTROL	12	
MOTORIST'S NEGLIGENCE AT RY CROSSING	57	
DRIVER ASLEEP	3	
TIRE BLOW OUT	2	
DURING RACING CONTEST	1	
TOTAL COLLISION		386

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

NON-COLLISION

Carried Over	386	
MOTOR VEHICLE OVERTURNED		
LOST CONTROL	29	
DEFECTIVE EQUIPMENT	9	
GLARING HEAD LIGHT	1	
INCOMPETENT HANDLING	6	
RECKLESS DRIVING	10	
SKIDDING	8	
AVOIDING A DOG	1	
STRUCK DEPRESSION	3	
UNKNOWN CAUSE	1	
PASSING TRUCK	1	
TIRE BLOW OUT	2	
INTOXICATION	1	
AVOIDING COLLISION	1	
DRIVERLESS CAR ROLLED OFF CLIFF	1	
DRIVER ASLEEP	1	
TOTAL OVERTURNING FATALITIES		75
FALLS FROM VEHICLE		
RIDING ON RUNNING BOARD	4	
RIDING ON BUMPER	1	
ADJUSTING BRAKE ON MOVING TRUCK	1	
FELL OR JUMPED	1	
JUMPED: INTOXICATION	1	
WORKING ON TRUCK	1	
TOTAL FALLS		9
TOTAL COLLISION AND NON-COLLISION		470
DEAD MAN AT WHEEL OF CAR INVOLVED IN ACCIDENT		1
GRAND TOTAL		471

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

ELECTRIC RAILWAY

JULY	1931	6	
AUGUST	1931	1	
SEPTEMBER	1931	2	
OCTOBER	1931	3	
NOVEMBER	1931	2	
DECEMBER	1931	4	
JANUARY	1932	3	
FEBRUARY	1932	2	
MARCH	1932	4	
APRIL	1932	0	
MAY	1932	3	
JUNE	1932	4	
	TOTAL		34

MALE	29	
FEMALE	5	
TOTAL		34

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	26	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	8	
TOTAL		34

AGES

5 to 10 years	1	
10 to 20 years	1	
20 to 45 years	5	
45 to 65 years	14	
65 and over	13	
TOTAL		34

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

ELECTRIC RAILWAY

CAUSES

PASSENGER-		
Fall from street car; unknown cause	1	
Fall from street car; due to fainting	1	
Fall from street car; due to physical defects	1	
Fall from street car; stealing ride; struck post	1	
PEDESTRIAN-		
Walking on right of way	2	
Crossing right of way carelessly	21	
Trespassing on right of way	1	
Attempting to board moving street car	3	
Fell in front of street car	1	
Walked into side of street car	1	
Incompetent handling by motorman	1	
TOTAL		34

HELD RESPONSIBLE BY CORONER'S JURY		
Motorman	1	
EXONERATED BY CORONER'S JURY		
Train crews	33	
TOTAL		34

TYPES OF CARS INVOLVED

Street cars	23	
Interurban trains	11	
TOTAL		34

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

STEAM RAILWAY

JULY	1931	0	
AUGUST	1931	1	
SEPTEMBER	1931	0	
OCTOBER	1931	1	
NEVEMBER	1931	3	
DECEMBER	1931	1	
JANUARY	1932	0	
FEBRUARY	1932	1	
MARCH	1932	1	
APRIL	1932	1	
MAY	1932	1	
JUNE	1932	0	
	TOTAL		10

MALE	8	
FEMALE	2	
TOTAL		10

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	2	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	7	
SAN BERNARDINO CO DEATH OCCURRING IN L.A. COUNTY	1	
TOTAL		10

AGES

5 to 10 years	1	
10 to 20 years	1	
20 to 45 years	3	
45 to 65 years[1]	4	
65 and over	1	
TOTAL		10

CAUSES

Trespassing on right of way	1	
Walking on right of way	2	
Crossing right of way carelessly	3	
Fell off train while working	2	
Unknown cause; found lying on tracks	2	
TOTAL		10

TRAFFIC FATALITIES

DATE AND LOCATION OF MOTOR VEHICLE FATALITIES WHICH OCCURRED OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY, DEATH OCCURRING IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY.

DATE			LOCATION
Feb	18	1931	Magnolia Drive near Corona, Riverside County
June	27	1931	State Highway near Bishop, Inyo County
July	26	1931	Carbon Canyon Grade near Chino, San Bernardino Co
Aug	20	1931	Hathaway cutoff, Seal Beach, Orange County (3)
June	18	1931	Laguna Beach, Orange County
Aug	28	1931	State Highway near Escondido, San Diego County
Nov	1	1931	Highway #66 at Lynwood, San Bernardino County
Dec	20	1931	24 miles east of Wellman, Arizona
Mar	14	1932	Ventura Blvd 5 mi north of Camarillo Ventura Co
Apr	8	1932	Santa Maria, Santa Barbara County
Apr	17	1932	State Highway near Mojave, Kern County
Apr	22	1932	Santa Ana Canyon, Orange County
Dec	30	1931	Near Laguna Beach, Orange County
June	19	1932	State Highway near Broadway, Sunset Beach Orange County
Dec	15	1931	Las Vegas, Nevada

INDUSTRIAL FATALITIES

JULY	1931	9	
AUGUST	1931	10	
SEPTEMBER	1931	9	
OCTOBER	1931	7	
NOVEMBER	1931	7	
DECEMBER	1931	7	
JANUARY	1932	6	
FEBRUARY	1932	5	
MARCH	1932	10	
APRIL	1932	7	
MAY	1932	5	
JUNE	1932	7	
	TOTAL		89

MALE	87	
FEMALE	2	
TOTAL		89

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	51	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	33	
OUTSIDE OF L.A. COUNTY DEATH OCCURING IN L.A. CO	5	
TOTAL		89

AGES

10 to 20 years	1	
20 to 45 years	44	
45 to 65 years	39	
65 and over	5	
TOTAL		89

INDUSTRIAL FATALITIES

NATURE

ANIMAL INJURY	1	
ASPHYXIATION	4	
BURNS	7	
CRUSHING	21	
DROWNING	1	
ELECTROCUTION	6	
FALLS	30	
HEAD INJURY	3	
INFECTION	9	
MACHINERY	2	
SHOCK AND EXSANGUINATION	1	
SUFFOCATION	4	
TOTAL		89

CAUSES

ANIMAL INJURY-		
Crushed by falling horse	1	
TOTAL		1
ASPHYXIATION-		
While moving electric refrigerator	1	
By fumes while digging well	1	
Carbon: Monoxide; night watch watchman	1	
By fumes while working in cess pool	1	
TOTAL		4
BURNS-		
Came in contact with transformer	1	
Oil switch explodes	1	
Truck ignited while spraying oil	1	
While working with hot metal	1	
Crane came in contact with live wire	1	
Gasoline exploded by furnace fire	1	
Scalds: Domestic upset pan of hot water	1	
Total		7
CRUSHING-		
Struck by board being sawed	1	
By iron tongs on oil rig	1	
By falling crane	1	

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Explosion of gas in paper plant	1	
Caught between freight cars	2	
Struck by falling tree	1	
By falling tub of lard	1	
By falling pipe plug	1	
By crank on gasoline shovel	1	
By check valve; due to explosion	1	
By counter weight on elevator	1	
By falling tower being moved	1	
By hoisting beam	1	
By broken steam pipe	1	
By snatch block	1	
Caught under falling pile of lumber	1	
Caught in stone crusher	1	
Caught in cave in of earth	2	
Jack collapsed while repairing auto	1	
TOTAL		21
DROWNING-		
Overcome by fumes; fell into tank	1	
TOTAL		1
ELECTROCUTION-		
Came in contact with live wire	2	
Working on power line without gloves	1	
Broken insulation on light wire	1	
While working on battery charger	1	
Came in contact with energized equipment	1	
TOTAL		6
FALLS-		
While erecting sign	1	
To floor; tripped over pipe	1	
Through hole in roof of building	1	
While carrying roll of carpet	1	
Into pit at roundhouse	1	
Down hatch aboard ship	2	
From ladder aboard ship	1	
From freight car while switching	2	
From steam engine	1	
From platform of pullman car	1	
From suspended cable; defective equipment	1	
From scaffold which collapsed	3	

From scaffold after being struck by falling plaster.	1	
From bridge under construction	1	
From building under construction	2	
From building while washing windows	1	
From light pole	1	
From ladder due to slipping	2	
From ladder while painting	1	
From ceiling joist	1	
From tractor	1	
From scaffold; auto entangled in rope	1	
From tank under construction	1	
From standing freight car while unloading	1	
TOTAL		30
HEAD INJURY-		
By being dragged on ground	1	
Struck by chain on crane	1	
Explosion of fumigating plant	1	
TOTAL		3
INFECTION-		
Injured by engine back fire; infection developed	1	
Injured by piece of lumber; septicemia developed	1	
Injured in fall; peritonitis developed	1	
Stepped on wire; Tetanus developed	1	
Injured foot; Cellulitis developed	1	
Burned feet; Cellulitis developed	1	
Burned by explosion; Infection developed	1	
Injured hand; Infection developed	1	
Injured finger; Cellulitis developed	1	
TOTAL		9
MACHINERY-		
While working on band saw	1	
Struck by broken belt	1	
TOTAL		2
SHOCK AND EXSANGUINATION-		
Caught in ice crushing machine	1	
TOTAL		1
SUFFOCATION-		
Cave in of trench; improper shoreing	3	
Buried under pile of gypsum	1	
TOTAL		4
GRAND TOTAL INDUSTRIAL FATALITIES		89

MISCELLANEOUS ACCIDENTAL FATALITIES

JULY	1931	35	
AUGUST	1931	37	
SEPTEMBER	1931	19	
OCTOBER	1931	31	
NOVEMBER	1931	33	
DECEMBER	1931	38	
JANUARY	1932	49	
FEBRUARY	1932	28	
MARCH	1932	23	
APRIL	1932	33	
MAY	1932	39	
JUNE	1932	26	
	TOTAL		391

MALE	254	
FEMALE	137	
TOTAL		391

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	222	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	163	
OUTSIDE OF L.A. COUNTY DEATH OCCURRING IN L.A. CO	6	
TOTAL		391

AGES

Less than 1 year	12	
1 to 2 years	18	
2 to 5 years	24	
5 to 10 years	20	
10 to 20 years	39	
20 to 45 years	107	
45 to 65 years	80	
65 and over	91	
TOTAL		391

MISCELLANEOUS ACCIDENTAL FATALITIES

NATURE

ANIMAL INJURY	1	
ASPHYXIATION	38	
BURNS	81	
CRUSHING	12	
DROWNING	47	
ELECTROCUTION	3	
FALLS	92	
FIREARMS	20	
HEAD INJURY	10	
INFECTIONS	17	
MISCELLANEOUS	20	
POISONING	27	
STRANGULATION	10	
SUFFOCATION	13	
TOTAL		391

CAUSES

ANIMAL INJURY-		
Kicked by horse	1	
TOTAL		1
ASPHYXIATION-		
Gas heater burning in closed garage	24	
Working on car in closed garage	5	
From fumes of cleaning fluid	1	
Cyanide fumes whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Auto exhaust; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	7	
TOTAL		38
BURNS-		
Scalds; Child upset pan of hot water	3	
Child fell into tub of hot water	5	
Child upset pan of hot milk	1	
Upset pot of hot coffee	1	
Can of powder exploded while playing	1	
Child playing with matches	5	
Trapped in burning building	3	

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Explosion of gasoline lamp	1	
Explosion of gas; unknown cause	2	
Explosion of camp stove	1	
Child exploded gasoline with match	1	
Explosion of still	1	
Gasoline exploded while filling tank	1	
Lighted match in gas filled room	6	
While receiving electrical treatments	1	
Clothing ignited from gas stove	30	
Clothing ignited from burning wax	1	
Clothing ignited from burning paper	1	
Clothing ignited from fire place	1	
Clothing ignited from cigarette	1	
Clothing ignited from bon fire	1	
Clothing ignited from oil stove	1	
Clothing ignited from incinerator	2	
Clothing ignited from electric heater	1	
Bedding ignited from match	1	
Gasoline exploded while cleaning clothes	3	
Fell into open fire place	1	
Cleaning solution exploded	1	
Gasoline exploded by gas stove	1	
Gas exploded by electric spark	1	
Child ate lye solution	1	
TOTAL		81
CRUSHING-		
In elevator; no safety device	1	
Struck by falling flower pot	1	
Caught in closing jail doors	1	
Dislodged log while playing	1	
By falling timber while playing	1	
Jack collapsed while under auto	1	
Struck by falling tree	2	
Fell with disabled elevator	2	
Caught in mine tunnel cave in	1	

Unknown cause	1	
TOTAL		12
DROWNING-		
Child fell into tub of hot water	1	
While swimming in ocean	9	
Swimming in dam	1	
Caught in rip tide	3	
While swimming in reservoir	4	
While swimming in plunge	1	
Child fell into fish pond	1	
Child fell into canal	1	
Fell into bath tub; epileptic fit	1	
Fell off fishing boat	1	
Fell into river while hiking	1	
Fell from pier	1	
Fell from breakwater	1	
Fell off raft	2	
Capsizing of row boat	1	
Struck in stomach while swimming	1	
Baby being bathed by mother	1	
Born while mother on toilet	1	
Capsizing of row boat on ocean	1	
Intoxicated in row boat at sea	1	
Unknown cause	1	
Whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	10	
Whether suicidal/accidental or homicidal undetermined	1	
Whether accidental or homicidal undetermined	1	
TOTAL		47
ELECTROCUTION-		
While erecting radio aerial	1	
Touched lamp while in bath tub	1	
While drilling tunnel under vault	1	
TOTAL		3
FALLS-		
To street; old age	8	
To floor; old age	17	
To street while playing	1	
To street from street car	1	

To street during fight	2
To street; intoxication	2
To street; repairing tire	1
To street due to illness	5
To street after colliding with running person	1
To floor due to illness	2
To floor from crib	2
To ground from incinerator; playing	1
To ground; old age	1
To ground at school; playing	1
To floor; intoxication	3
Into bath tub; old age	1
Into clay pit during storm	1
Into open ditch	1
Into oil pit	1
Into well shaft	1
Down stairs; old age	5
Down stairs; unknown cause	1
Down stairs; tripped over rug	2
Down stairs; intoxication	1
Down stair well; whether accidental or suicidal undetermined	1
Down elevator shaft while playing	1
From cliff while hiking	3
From cliff; following accident	1
From diving platform	1
From ladder at home	2
From window; playing	1
From window; intoxication	1
From window; old age	2
From roof while drying hair	1
From stool in drug store	1
From rings in gymnasium	1
From horse	3

From porch at home	1	
From porch while playing	1	
From porch; railing collapsed	1	
From building; retrieving ball	1	
From building; unknown cause	2	
From roller coaster; stood up	1	
Through skylight	1	
On ice while skating	1	
At swimming pool; old age	1	
Walked through open window at church	1	
TOTAL		92
FIREARMS-		
Careless handling	2	
While dleaning gun	3	
Gun accidentally discharged while hunting	3	
Gun accidentally discharged due to fall	1	
Playing with revolver	2	
Accidental discharge of gun set for thief	1	
Whether accidental or suicidal undetermined	5	
Whether homicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Whether homicidal accidental or suicidal undetermined	2	
TOTAL		20
HEAD INJURY-		
Struck by swing	1	
While playing foot ball	2	
Explosion - probably gas	1	
Struck with golf club	1	
During boxing match	1	
Whether homicidal, accidental or suicidal undetermined	4	
TOTAL		10
INFECTION-		
Bruised hand; septicemia	1	
Self inflicted wound; septicemia	1	
Bruised arm; septicemia	1	
Bruised finger; septicemia	1	
Boil on face; septicemia	1	
Stepped on nail; tetanus	5	

Punctured foot; tetanus	2	
Cut hand; tetanus	1	
Injured toe; tetanus	1	
Injured thumb; tetanus	1	
Bruised hand ; tetanus	1	
Playing soccor; infection developed	1	
TOTAL		17
MISCELLANEOUS-		
Throat pierced with chicken bone	1	
Throat pierced with safety pin	1	
Fractured neck; dove into shallow water	3	
Fractured skull; struck by piece of grind stone	1	
Exsanguination; child fell through window	1	
Struck in stomach by surf board	1	
Exsanguination; neglect at child birth	1	
Exposure following broken ankle	1	
Exposure and neglect at birth	3	
Exposure; at sea in disabled boat	1	
Exposure; intoxication in small boat at sea	1	
Exposure; baby, parents camping on road side	1	
Metal driven into chest by gasoline explosion	1	
During anesthesia; operation for nasal septum	1	
Cutting; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Unknown cause; probably exposure	1	
TOTAL		20
POISONING-		
Child ate strychnine pills	2	
Child ate ant paste	3	
Child ate poison tablets	1	
Phenol; taken in mistake for medicine	1	
Adrenalin; overdose for relief of asthma	1	
Overdose of medicine containing chloral hydrate	1	
Overdose of barbitol; addict	1	
Botulism; eating home canned tomatoes	1	
Arsenic; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	2	
Barbitol; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	2	

Cyanide; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Iodoform; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Hypnotic drug; whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Liniment whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Mercurial whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	3	
Opium and veronal whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Strychnine whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	1	
Overdose of chloroform	1	
Cyanide; while fumigating room	2	
TOTAL		27
STRANGULATION-		
Caught between fence and tree; intoxication	1	
Caught in chain on swing	1	
Nut kernal lodged in larynx	3	
Food lodged in throat during spell of vomiting	1	
Regurgitated food	1	
Inhalation of milk; baby	1	
Whether suicidal or accidental undetermined	2	
TOTAL		10
SUFFOCATION-		
Face covered with bedding	3	
Caught in cave in of rubbish pit	2	
Nut meat lodged in bronchi	1	
Trapped in burning building	4	
Inhalation of blood from nose	1	
Food lodged in throat	1	
Apricot pit lodged in throat	1	
TOTAL		13
GRAND TOTAL MISCELLANEOUS ACCIDENTAL FATALITIES		391

SUICIDES

JULY	1931	45	
AUGUST	1931	48	
SEPTEMBER	1931	27	
OCTOBER	1931	41	
NOVEMBER	1931	38	
DECEMBER	1931	47	
JANUARY	1932	46	
FEBRUARY	1932	50	
MARCH	1932	52	
APRIL	1932	59	
MAY	1932	39	
JUNE	1932	37	
	TOTAL		529

MALE	411	
FEMALE	118	
TOTAL		529

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	324	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	205	
TOTAL		529

AGES

10 to 20 years	7	
20 to 45 years	202	
45 to 65 years	238	
65 and over	82	
TOTAL		529

SUICIDES

CAUSES

Ill health	132
Mentally deranged	23
Temporarily deranged	11
Despondency	69
Domestic difficulties	30
Despondent over separation from wife	1
After murder of wife	8
After murder of sweetheart	5
After murder of sister	1
After murder of officer	1
After murder of brother-in-law	1
After murder of wife and daughter	1
After murder of daughter	1
After committing murder	5
After attempted murder of sweetheart	1
After attempted murder of wife and child	1
After attempted murder of wife and brother-in-law	1
After attempted murder of wife	2
After quarrel with sister	1
After reprimand from teacher	1
Grief over death of mother	1
Grief over death of wife	4
Grief over death of husband	1
Tired of life	27
Delirious from pain	2
Lack of employment	27
Financial difficulties	75
Love affair	6
Fear of death by gangsters	1
Jealousy	1
Intoxication	7

Fear of prosecution	13	
Fear of blindness	2	
Fear of arrest	1	
Loss of position	2	
Grief over death of parents	1	
Grief over death of son	2	
When attempt at robbery failed	1	
Despondent over illness of children	1	
Unknown causes	58	
TOTAL		529

HOMICIDES

JULY	1931	15	
AUGUST	1931	11	
SEPTEMBER	1931	11	
OCTOBER	1931	13	
NOVEMBER	1931	7	
DECEMBER	1931	13	
JANUARY	1932	10	
FEBRUARY	1932	19	
MARCH	1932	11	
APRIL	1932	16	
MAY	1932	7	
JUNE	1932	12	
	TOTAL		145

MALE	105	
FEMALE	40	
TOTAL		145

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	95	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	46	
OUTSIDE OF L.A. COUNTY DEATH OCCURRING IN L.A. CO	2	
KILLED IN ARIZONA BODIES SHIPPED TO LOS ANGELES	2	
TOTAL		145

AGES

LESS THAN 1 year	3	
2 to 5 years	3	
5 to 10 years	1	
10 to 20 years	11	
20 to 45 years	92	
45 to 65 years	28	
65 and over	7	
TOTAL		145

HOMICIDES

JUSTIFIABLE	38	
UNJUSTIFIABLE	98	
ACCIDENTAL	9	
TOTAL		145

BY KNOWN PERSONS	73	
BY UNKNOWN PERSONS	28	
BY HUSBAND	16	
BY WIFE	1	
BY FATHER	3	
BY MOTHER	2	
BY BROTHER	1	
BY OFFICERS	21	
TOTAL		145

LOCATION OF HOMICIDES OUTSIDE OF COUNTY

KERN COUNTY

ARIZONA

UNKNOWN LOCATION

CAUSES

Domestic difficulties	17
During fight	19
Resisting arrest	10
During hold up	21
Jealousy	11
Self defense	6
Officer shot by bandit	1
During business argument	1
During drunken brawl	4
Quarrel over money	2
Mentally deranged	4
Shot while hunting	1
During quarrel	1

Presumably boot leg war	3	
Financial difficulties	3	
Loss of position	1	
Temporarily deranged	3	
Evading arrest	2	
Mistaken for hold up man	1	
Unwanted baby	2	
Quarrel with trespasser on property	1	
Officer shot while attempting to make arrest	1	
While committing robbery	1	
While stealing auto	1	
Child shot by Mother's sweetheart	1	
Unknown causes	18	
ACCIDENTAL-		
Playing with gun	6	
Accidental discharge of gun	1	
While shooting at target	1	
Fell on knife during fight	1	
TOTAL		145

ABORTIONS

JULY	1931	0	
AUGUST	1931	4	
SEPTEMBER	1931	2	
OCTOBER	1931	1	
NOVEMBER	1931	2	
DECEMBER	1931	5	
JANUARY	1932	2	
FEBRUARY	1932	3	
MARCH	1932	3	
APRIL	1932	2	
MAY	1932	2	
JUNE	1932	2	
	TOTAL		28

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	25	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	3	
TOTAL		28

AGES

10 to 20 years	4	
20 to 45 years	24	
TOTAL		28

CAUSES

SELF INDUCED	16	
CRIMINAL BY PHYSICIAN	4	
CRIMINAL BY KNOWN PERSON	1	
CRIMINAL BY UNKNOWN PERSON	3	
SPONTANEOUS	2	
CRIMINAL OR SELF INDUCED; UNDETERMINED	1	
UNKNOWN CAUSE	1	
TOTAL		28

SOCIAL STATUS - MARRIED 23 SINGLE 4 DIVORCED 1

AEROPLANE

JULY.	1931	3	
AUGUST	1931	0	
SEPTEMBER	1931	0	
OCTOBER	1931	1	
NOVEMBER	1931	0	
DECEMBER	1931	0	
JANUARY	1932	3	
FEBRUARY	1932	2	
MARCH	1932	0	
APRIL	1932	1	
MAY	1932	8	
JUNE	1932	0	
	TOTAL		18

MALE		18

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	8	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	9	
IN KERN CO DEATH OCCURRING IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY	1	
TOTAL		18

AGES

10 to 20 years	1	
20 to 45 years	14	
45 to 65 years	3	
TOTAL		18

PILOT	11	
PASSENGERS	7	
TOTAL		18

AEROPLANE

CAUSES

Wing collapsed	4	
Tail spin	3	
Nose dive	1	
Engine stalled	1	
Crashed in heavy fog	3	
Stunting for movies	1	
Unknown cause	3	
Out of control in heavy wind	1	
Parachute failed to open while testing	1	
TOTAL		18

TYPE OF AEROPLANE

PLEASURE	8	
MOTION PICTURE	1	
MAIL PLANE	1	
GLIDER	3	
PARACHUTE	1	
TOTAL NUMBER OF MACHINES INVOLVED		14

ALCOHOLISM

JULY	1931	3	
AUGUST	1931	4	
SEPTEMBER	1931	8	
OCTOBER	1931	4	
NOVEMBER	1931	3	
DECEMBER	1931	4	
JANUARY	1932	9	
FEBRUARY	1932	5	
MARCH	1932	7	
APRIL	1932	3	
MAY	1932	2	
JUNE	1932	3	
	TOTAL		55

MALE	50	
FEMALE	5	
TOTAL		55

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	48	
IN COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES OUTSIDE LOS ANGELES CITY	7	
TOTAL		55

AGES

20 to 45 years	33	
45 to 65 years	21	
65 and over	1	
TOTAL		55

UNKNOWN CAUSES

JULY	1931	4	
AUGUST	1931	2	
SEPTEMBER	1931	2	
OCTOBER	1931	3	
NOVEMBER	1931	6	
DECEMBER	1931	1	
JANUARY	1932	1	
FEBRUARY	1932	0	
MARCH	1932	2	
APRIL	1932	8	
MAY	1932	3	
JUNE	1932	3	
	TOTAL		35

MALE	24	
FEMALE	11	
TOTAL		35

IN CITY OF LOS ANGELES	32	
IN COUNTY OF L.A. OUTSIDE OF LOS ANGELES CITY	3	
TOTAL		35

AGES

FOETUS	2	
2 to 5 years	1	
5 to 10 years	1	
10 to 20 years	1	
20 to 45 years	19	
45 to 65 years	10	
65 and over	1	
TOTAL		35

AFTER PATHOLOGICAL AND TOXICOLOGICAL EXAMINATION	26	
AFTER PATHOLOGICAL EXAMINATION	4	
BODY BADLY DECOMPOSED	4	
FOETUS	1	
TOTAL		35

CASES OF NATURAL CAUSES OF DEATH UPON WHICH

AUTOPSIES HAVE BEEN PERFORMED

	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Epidemic, Endemic and Infectious Diseases	98	71	169
General Diseases Not Included in Class I	117	67	184
Diseases of the Nervous System And Organs of Special Sense	58	42	100
Diseases of the Circulatory System	963	339	1302
Diseases of the Respiratory System	124	64	188
Diseases of the Digestive System	68	41	109
Non-Venereal Diseases of the Genito-Urinary System and Annexa	102	82	184
The Puerperal State		18	18
Diseases of the Skin and of the Cellular Tissue	4		4
Diseases of the Bones and Organs of Locomotion	2	2	4
Malformations	8	3	11
Early Infancy	11	5	16
Miscellaneous	1	3	4
	1556	737	2293

EPIDEMIC, ENDEMIC AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Measles	1			1					
Scarlet Fever		1					1		
Whooping Cough	1	2	3						
Diptheria	2	3	1	4					
Influenza	4	4		3	1	1	2	1	
Poliomyelitis	1			1					
Encephalitis *	3			2				1	
Meningococcus Meningitis	5			4			1		
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	60	55	3	5	14	27	21	18	27
Tuberculous Meningitis		1			1				
Tuberculous Peritonitis	2						1		1
Tuberculous Spine	1						1		
Tuberculous Kidney	1					1			
Tuberculous Renal Abscess		1							1
Tuberculous Suprarenals	1					1			
Generalized Miliary Tuberculosis	1			1					
Syphilis	2							1	1
Syphilitic Aortitis	10	1				3	4	4	
Syphilitic Encephalitis	1						1		
Huebner's Disease		1				1			
Luetic Cirrhosis of Liver		1						1	
B. Welchii Infection of Hemorrhoid	1								1
Septicemia *	1	1			1	1			
	98	71	7	21	17	35	32	26	31

Cause or Origin Undetermined *

GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED IN CLASS I

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Cancers of the Antrum of Highmore		1							1
Liver	4	1							5
Pylorus	1								1
Stomach	7	2							9
Throat	2								2
Colon	1	1					1		1
Duodenum	1						1		
Intestine		1							1
Peritoneum	1						1		
Rectum	3	2						1	4
Sigmoid	1	1							2
Ovary		2					1		1
Uterus		12					1	1	10
Breast		14				1	1	3	9
Abdominal Wall		1							1
Peribronchial Nodes	1								1
Hip	1				1				
Knee	1								1
Lung	1								1
Pancreas	1	1					1		1
Parotid Gland		1							1
Pleura		1							1
Prostate	2								2
Spine		1						1	
General Carcinomatosis	2	1						2	1

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GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED IN CLASS I - Continued

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Tumor of Adrenal Gland	1								1
Mucous Cyst of Mediastinum		1	1						
Tumor of Lung	1								1
Arthritis - Streptococcic	1			1					
Diabetes Mellitus	3	5		1			3		4
Pernicious Anemia	2	1			1			1	1
Exopthalmic Goitre		1					1		
Hyperthyroidism		1						1	
Status Lymphaticus	4	1	2	3					
Status Thymico - Lymphaticus	17	6	14	9					
Addison's Disease	1								1
Acute Leukemia	1					1			
Chronic Lymphatic Leukemia		1							1
Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia	1	2			1			1	1
Acute Alcoholism									
Ethanol	37	4				3	15	16	7
Methanol	12	1				2		4	7
Ethanol and Methanol	1						1		
Chronic Alcoholism	4						1	2	1
Delerium Tremens	1						1		
	117	67	17	14	3	7	28	33	82

DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM
AND OF
THE ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Landry's Ascending Paralysis		1							1
Transverse Myelitis	1								1
Pontine Hemorrhage	2	1					1		2
Intradural Hemorrhage	2	1						1	2
Abscess of Brain	1					1			
Pneumococcic Meningitis	2	1			1				2
Cerebral Hemorrhage	26	25			1	4	2	16	28
Infarction of Brain *		1							1
Cerebral Thrombosis	2			1				1	
Psychosis - Undetermined	1	1						1	1
Epilepsy	4	4		1	1	2	2	1	1
Cerebral Malacia*		1							1
Cerebral Atrophy		1							1
Cerebral Cyst		1					1		
Glioma of Brain	6	1					4	2	1
Brain Tumor **	1					1			
Acute Mastoiditis	1	1				1			1
Acute Otitis Media	6	2	5	3					
Chronic Otitis Media	3		1	1	1				
	58	42	6	6	4	9	10	22	43

* Cause or origin undetermined

** Type undetermined

DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Acute Pericarditis	2	3	1					1	3
Chronic Pericarditis	4	2		1				2	3
Acute Endocarditis	2	3			1	2	1		1
Subacute Myocarditis		1							1
Angina Pectoris	2	2					2	1	1
Senile Atrophy of Heart	1								1
Cardiac Asthma		1				1			
Acute Dilatation of Heart *	1						1		
Chronic Dilatation of Heart	1							1	
Chronic Endocarditis	76	53			5	3	21	28	72
Fatty Degeneration of Heart	4	3				1	1	1	4
Cardiac Hypertrophy	8	2			1			4	5
Chronic Myocarditis	60	19					2	8	69
Ruptured Ventricle	42	26							68
Ruptured Aneurysm of									
Thoracic Aorta	25	14					3	6	30
Abdominal Aorta		1							1
Basilar Artery	1								1
Coronary Artery		1							1
Aneurysm of Aorta	13	2					1	1	13
Multiple Venous Aneurysms **	1				1				
Ruptured Aorta	8	2							10
General Arteriosclerosis	94	67						5	156

Continued

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Atheroma of Aorta	9	3					2	5	5
Coronary Sclerosis	519	113				1	25	91	515
Ruptured Coronary Artery		1							1
Ruptured Common Iliac Artery	1								1
Mesenteric Apoplexy	2								2
Pulmonary Embolism	1	1							2
Coronary Thrombosis	80	13				1	12	19	61
Thrombosis of Mesenteric Veins	2						1		1
Thrombosis of Iliac Veins		1							1
Thrombosis of Pelvic Veins		1							1
Thrombosis of Pulmonary Artery	1	2							3
General Spontaneous Thrombosis	1							1	
Generalized Venous Thrombosis	1					1			
Infected Hemorrhoids	1								1
Essential Hypertension		2							2
	963	339	1	1	8	10	72	174	1036

* Cause Undetermined

** Congenital Defects

DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Chronic Sinusitis	3	1					1	1	2
Acute Laryngitis *	1			1					
Acute Bronchitis	1					1			
Bronchiectasis	4				1		1	1	1
Chronic Bronchitis	1	1		1				1	
Broncho-Pneumonia	40	26	41	11	1	2	3	4	4
Aspiration Pneumonia		1	1						
Lobar Pneumonia	65	23	10	4	7	1	7	21	38
Interpleural Abscess	1						1		
Subacute Pleuritis		1							1
Chronic Pleurisy	2					1			1
Pulmonary Edema	1	1					1		1
Asthma	2	6			1		1	3	3
Anthracosis	1							1	
Peribronchial Fibrosis		1							1
Pulmonary Fibrosis	1	2	1				1	1	
Pulmonary Abscess	1	1	1					1	
	124	64	54	17	10	5	16	34	52

* Cause undetermined

DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Infected Tooth	3					1			2
Ulcerous Stomatitis		1					1		
Peritonsillar Abscess	2	2				2		2	
Tonsillectomy	1			1					
Gastric Ulcer with									
Hemorrhage	2	1							3
Peritonitis	3	1				1		1	2
Duodenal Ulcer with									
Hemorrhage	1	1	1						1
Peritonitis	8	2						1	9
Acute Enteritis	1								1
Acute Colitis	1			1					
Acute Gastro-Enteritis	1		1						
Acute Entero-Colitis		2	1	1					
Acute Ileo-Colitis	1	1		1	1				
Acute Appendicitis	9	2	1		4	2		2	2
Strangulated Hernia	6	1				1	1	2	3
Umbilical Hernia		3						1	2
Strangulated Hernia Through Mesentery	1			1					
Chronic Adhesions of Intestines	2	1							3
Intussusception	1			1					
Intestinal Obstruction	1						1		
Perirectal Abscess		1							1
Congenital Megacolon		1							1

Continued

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Cirrhosis of the Liver	9	12				1	1	6	13
Fibrosis of the Liver		1					1		
Fatty Degeneration of the Liver	1								1
Chronic Cholelithiasis	1								1
Chronic Cholecystitis	3	2							5
Cholecystectomy	1								1
Acute Hepatitis	4	4		1	1		4	1	1
Acute Pancreatitis	1								1
Acute Hemorrhagic Pancreatitis	1							1	
Abdominal Adhesions	1								1
Peritonitis *	2	2	2	2					
	68	41	6	9	6	8	9	17	54

* Cause or origin undetermined

NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM
AND ANNEXA

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
Nephritis -									
Acute	1					1			
Chronic Interstitial	59	50			2	2		11	94
Chronic Arteriosclerotic	20	10							30
Chronic Diffuse	4	4						3	5
Chronic Parenchymatous	6	3		2	1	1	1	2	2
Uremia	1							1	
Nephrectomy	1							1	
Pyelonephritis	2								2
Impacted Ureteral Calculus		1							1
Pyenephrolithiasis	1								1
Chronic Cystitis	1								1
Diverticuli of Bladder		1							1
Urethral Stricture	1								1
Chronic Prostatitis	2								2
Prostatic Hypertrophy	3								3
Multilocular Ovarian Cyst		2					1		1
Acute Salpingitis		2				1		1	
Pelvic Abscess		1					1		
Uterine Fibroid Tumor		6						3	3
Retrodisplaced Uterus		1					1		
Chronic Cystic Mastitis		1							1
	102	82		2	3	5	4	22	148

MISCELLANEOUS

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
THE PUERPERAL STATE									
Ectopic Gestation		7				4	2	1	
Post Partum Hemorrhage		4			1	1	2		
Caesarean Section		1				1			
Dystocia		1			1				
Acute Nephritis		2				1		1	
Eclampsia		2			1	1			
Acute Toxemia		1			1				
		18			4	8	4	2	
DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND CELLULAR TISSUE									
Furuncle on Neck	3		1			2			
Carbuncle on Neck	1							1	
Cellulitis of Neck	1								1
	5		1			2		1	1
DISEASES OF THE BONES AND ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION									
Osteitis Deformans of the Skull		1							1
Osteomyelitis	1			1					
Progressive Muscular Dystrophy		1						1	
	1	2		1				1	1

Continued

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
MALFORMATIONS									
Congenital Hydro-cephalus	2		2						
Congenital Deformity of the Heart	1	1	1		1				
Reptilian Heart	1	1	2						
Patent Foramen Ovale	3		3						
Encephalic Monster		1	1						
Hypoplasia of the Coronary Arteries	1						1		
	8	3	9		1		1		
EARLY INFANCY									
Icterus Neonatorum	2		2						
Inanition	2		2						
Malnutrition	2		2						
Cerebral Hemorrhage - Birth Injury	1	1	2						
Atelectasis	4	2	6						
Infection of Umbilicus		2	2						
	11	5	16						
OLD AGE									
Senile Dementia		2							2
Inanition *	1	1						1	1
	1	3						1	3

* Cause undetermined

CASES OF NATURAL CAUSES OF DEATH

INVESTIGATED BY THE CORONER

	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Epidemic, Endemic and Infectious Diseases	4	11	15
General Diseases Not Included in Class I	5	17	22
Diseases of the Nervous System And Organs of Special Sense	8	18	26
Diseases of the Circulatory System	29	43	72
Diseases of the Respiratory System	2	2	4
Non-Venereal Diseases of the Genito-urinary System and Annéxa	3	3	6
The Puerperal State		1	1
Early Infancy	2	2	4
	53	97	150

CASES OF NATURAL CAUSES OF DEATH

INVESTIGATED BY THE CORONER

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
EPIDEMIC, ENDEMIC, AND INFECTIOUS DISEASES									
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	4	10			1	5	5		3
Intestinal Tuberculosis		1						1	
	4	11			1	5	5	1	3
GENERAL DISEASES NOT INCLUDED IN CLASS I									
Cancer of the									
Liver		4							4
Stomach	1	2						2	1
Colon		1							1
Rectum		1							1
Uterus		2							2
Breast		4						2	2
Inguinal Gland	1								1
Larynx	1								1
General Carcinomatosis		1							1
Diabetes Mellitus	1							1	
Pernicious Anemia		2			1				1
Acute Lymphatic Leukemia	1			1					
	5	17		1	1			5	15

NATURAL CAUSES OF DEATH

INVESTIGATED BY THE CORONER

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE									
Cerebral Hemorrhage	7	18						1	24
Cerebral Thrombosis	1								1
	8	18						1	25
DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM									
Chronic Endocarditis	8	13							21
Angina Pectoris	2	3							5
Chronic Myocarditis	15	22			1				36
General Arteriosclerosis	3	4							7
Coronary Sclerosis	1	1							2
	29	43			1				71
DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM									
Lobar Pneumonia	1	2							3
Asthma	1								1
	2	2							4

CASES OF NATURAL CAUSES OF DEATH

INVESTIGATED BY THE CORONER

	Male	Female	Under One Year	1 - 9 Years	10 - 19 Years	20 - 29 Years	30 - 39 Years	40 - 49 Years	50 And Over
NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA									
Nephritis									
Chronic Interstitial	2	2							
Chronic Parenchymatous	1	1			1			1	
	3	3			1			1	
THE PUERPERAL STATE									
Eclampsia		1				1			
		1				1			
EARLY INFANCY									
Malnutrition	1		1						
Dystocia	1		1						
Umbilical Hemorrhage		1	1						
Infantile Convulsions		1		1					
	2	2	3	1					

BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS FOR CORONER'S DEPARTMENT

FISCAL YEAR 1931 1932.

SALARIES AND WAGES

	TITLE OF POSITION	RATE OF PAY A	B	C	
1	Coroner	$7200	$7200	$7200	
1	Chief Deputy	300	325	350	
1	Asst. Chief Deputy	200	210	225	
2	Inquest Deputies	200	210	225	
1	Chief Clerk	180	190	200	
6	Office Deputies	165	170	175	
1	Inquest Clerk	165	170	175	
1	Property Clerk	165	170	175	
4	Stenographic Reporters	190	195	200	
1	Stenographic Secretary Grade I	140	145	150	
2	Dictating Machine Operators	115	120	125	(a)
1	Typist - Clerk, Grade II	115	120	125	
1	Chief Autopsy Surgeon	500	500	500	
2	Autopsy Surgeons	400	400	400	
1	Assistant to Autopsy Surgeons	200	210	225	
1	Chief Embalmer (Male)	200	210	225	
4	Embalmers	180	190	200	
9	Mortuary Attendants (Male)	150	155	160	
1	Mortuary Attendant (Female)	135	140	145	
1	Chauffeur	130	135	140	
	Vacation and sick Relief (a) Group D - $130-135-140,	as case may be			

TOTAL SALARIES AND WAGES $104,180.00

MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION

PERSONAL SERVICES OTHER THAN EMPLOYEES

Interpreting	$ 200.00
Witness Fees and Mileage	500.00

SERVICES OTHER THAN PERSONAL

Auto Service	3,000.00
Laboratory Services	4,000.00
Meals and Lodging	50.00
Mileage Employees' Cars	2,000.00
Miscellaneous Services	200.00
Postage	200.00
Repairs to Equipment	500.00
Telegrams and Telephone	500.00
Transportation	200.00
Transportation deceased persons	500.00

SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS

Burial Boxes and Slabs	200.00
Embalming Supplies	8,000.00
Handwriting Supplies	50.00
Laboratory Supplies	1,500.00
Medical and Surgical Supplies	300.00
Miscellaneous Supplies	100.00
Other Office Supplies	300.00
Papers, Forms and Covers	1,500.00
Record Books	1,000.00
Viewing Room Supplies	500.00

TOTAL SALARIES AND WAGES - Forward		$104,180.00
FIXED CHARGES AND CONTRIBUTIONS		
Burials of Unknown	$ 800.00	
TOTAL MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION		26,100.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY		
EQUIOMENT		
Ambulance	3,500.00	
Autopsy Equipment	200.00	
Dictaphone	300.00	
Embalming Equipment	200.00	
Laboratory Equipment	300.00	
Office Equipment	200.00	
Other Equipment	100.00	
Typewriters-	100.00	
TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY		4,900.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS		135,180.00
UNEXPENDED BALANCES OF APPROPRIATIONS		7,220.07
Salaries and Wages	1,458.47	
Maintenance and Operation	4,960.16	
Capital Outlay	801.44	
TOTAL COST		127,959.93
REVENUES FROM FEES AND CHARGES FOR SERVICES		
Embalming Fees	27,225.00	
Sale of Transcripts of testimony	2,546.25	
Certificate Fees	925.00	
Process Serving Fees	21.00	
TOTAL NET COST		97,241.78

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS	$ 11,431.81	
LITIGANTS CASH	100.00	
CHEMICAL ANALYSIS (EXHUMED BODY)	52.50	
SALE OF TRANSCRIPT COPIES	2,546.25	
SERVICE OF PROCESS FEES	21.90	
EMBALMING FEES	27,225.00	
COUNTY CLERK FEES	925.00	
TOTAL		$ 42,302.46

SUMMARY OF DEPOSITS

WITH COUNTY TREASURER		
TRUST FUNDS-		
ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS	$ 11,431.81	
LITIGANTS CASH	100.00	
SALARY FUND -		
SALE OF TRANSCRIPT COPIES	2,546.25	
SERVICE PROCESS FEES	21.90	
EMBALMING FEES	27,225.00	
GENERAL FUND -		
CHEMICAL ANALYSIS EXPENSE RE-IMBURSEMENT	52.50	
TOTAL DEPOSITED WITH COUNTY TREASURER	$ 41,377.46	
DEPOSITED WITH COUNTY CLERK	925.00	
TOTAL		$ 42,302.46